

# The Wumpaloons, Which Never Were

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The Wumpaloons, which never were,  
Had silver scales and purple fur,  
Their wings were alabaster white,  
Their manes as black as anthracite,  
Their legs were pink and indigo,  
With toes of bright pistachio,  
Their noses were a bottle green,  
Their antlers tan and tangerine.

The Wumpaloons had crimson lips,  
Their tails were teal, with flaxen tips,  
Their lilac eyes were flecked with dots  
As gold as summer apricots  
Their necks were lemon, striped with blue,  
Their ears were of a ruby hue,  
How nice to think they might occur,  
The Wumpaloons, which never were.

Emily